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GLC called in 1235 saying that the Senate Committee discussed the CIA Resolution until 1225....

Sen McCarthy and Symington spoke to the press <sup>informally</sup>...there was no quorum .... vote deferred until next Tuesday.

Symington in going to the floor boarded the elevator with GLC, recognized George, gave him a wink and crossed his fingers...from these few signs George got the aura that maybe things were going tolerably well...

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GLC <sup>1300</sup> Fulbright was formal spokesman to press, repeated "arrogance of power" theme, w/ Viet Nam; George couldn't get close enough to pick up specific references to Agency.

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UPI-19

(CIA)

WASHINGTON--CHAIRMAN RICHARD B. RUSSELL OF THE SENATE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE HAS CLAIMED SOLE AUTHORITY FOR CONGRESSIONAL PEEKING UNDER THE CLOAK OF THE CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY. THE GEORGIA DEMOCRAT'S SUNDAY DISCLOSURE SHARPLY DEFINED THE BATTLE LINES FOR A VOTE TOMORROW ON WHETHER TO BRING MEMBERS OF THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE INTO THE HANDFUL OF CONGRESSMEN WHO OVERSEE THE CIA'S CLANDESTINE OPERATIONS. RUSSELL CITED THE "RULES AND PRACTICES OF THE SENATE" IN POLITELY BUT FIRMLY REJECTING THE MOVE TO BROADEN CONGRESSIONAL CIA WATCHING IN A LETTER TO SEN. J. WILLIAM FULBRIGHT, D-ARK. FULBRIGHT, CHAIRMAN OF THE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE, HAS EXPRESSED CONCERN OVER CIA INVOLVEMENT IN U.S. FOREIGN POLICY. ONE OF HIS GROUP'S COMMITTEEMEN, SEN. EUGENE J. MCCARTHY, D-MINN., SPONSORED THE RESOLUTION TO ENLARGE THE NUMBER OF MEN OVERSEEING CIA.

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UPI-95

(CIA)

WASHINGTON--SENATE DEMOCRATIC LEADER MIKE MANSFIELD TODAY  
ENDORSED A MOVE TO BROADEN MEMBERSHIP OF THE SENATE WATCHDOG COMMITTEE  
WHICH SUPERVISES ACTIVITIES OF THE CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY  
(CIA)

THE MONTANA DEMOCRAT SAID IN AN INTERVIEW THAT THE PROPOSAL MAKES  
NO BASIC CHANGE IN THE PRESENT SYSTEM FOR MONITORING THE SUPER SECRET  
SPY AGENCY. IT WOULD ADD THREE MEMBERS OF THE FOREIGN RELATIONS  
COMMITTEE TO THE SPECIAL GROUP NOW MADE UP OF ARMED SERVICES AND  
APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEEMEN.

"I WOULD LIKE TO SEE THREE MEMBERS OF THE FOREIGN RELATIONS  
COMMITTEE ADDED," MANSFIELD SAID, INASMUCH AS THE CIA PLAYS "A VERY  
VITAL ROLE" IN SHAPING THE NATION'S FOREIGN POLICIES.

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